FALL 2015

Total Enrollment: 26,754

7th fastest growing public university in the nation
(The Chronicle of Higher Education)

Freshmen with a High School GPA of 3.75 or higher: 40.6%
Freshmen with an ACT Score of 30 or higher: 17.4%

AVERAGE ACT: 26
High School GPA: 3.64

HOME OF THE
RAZORBACKS

4,915 New Freshmen

HIGHEST RESEARCH CLASSIFICATION
The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching elevated the U of A to its highest research status (along with only 114 of the nation’s 4,664 colleges and universities).

OVER 200 DEGREE PROGRAMS
baccalaureate, masters, doctoral, professional, and specialist degree programs

STUDY ABROAD
900+ STUDENTS
51+ countries

380+ STUDENT Organizations

Student-to-Faculty Ratio 19:1

top 25 outdoor colleges
According to U.S. News & World Report for 2015

RANKED 62ND
Best National Public Universities

TOP 25
- Outside Magazine
Courtney Hill, a Chancellor’s Scholar and Governor’s Distinguished Scholar, was named a Fulbright Scholar, joining more than 65 other U of A students and alumni. After a year of teaching English abroad, Courtney plans to study for a doctorate in civil engineering as a National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow.

Each year, University of Arkansas students win national scholarships that support their academic interests. Ailon Haileyesus, who is studying biomedical engineering, recently received an Amgen Scholarship, an award designed to prepare students for careers in medicine and research.

Learn more about the U of A’s Nationally Competitive Awards at [awards.uark.edu](http://awards.uark.edu).

For many students, studying abroad is an important part of the college experience, and the U of A offers guidance every step of the way. Honors biochemistry and physics major Armin Mortazavi spent the summer on a service-learning trip to Belize. Here, he and fellow U of A students offer health screenings to local residents. A Goldwater Scholar, Armin plans a career in research aimed at helping solve persistent health issues like diabetes.

Learn more about opportunities to study abroad at [studyabroad.uark.edu](http://studyabroad.uark.edu).

College can be a time of exploring new ideas and discovering new passions. Udall Scholar Michael Reinisch’s research interests have taken him around the world to study solar energy in Germany and sustainability in Iceland. Michael’s research may someday help engineers improve solar cells and contribute to the availability of renewable energy.

Learn more about research at the U of A at [shorttakes.uark.edu](http://shorttakes.uark.edu).
**Applying for admission**

**TRANSFER FRESHMAN**

*Transfer Freshman: High school graduate with fewer than 24 transferable college hours*

1. Review the University of Arkansas' Transfer Course Equivalency Guide at [courseequivalency.uark.edu](http://courseequivalency.uark.edu) to determine how many hours taken at other regionally accredited institutions will be transferable to the University of Arkansas. If you have questions about course equivalency, please contact the Registrar at 479-575-5451 or visit [registrar.uark.edu](http://registrar.uark.edu).

2. Complete the online application at [apply.uark.edu](http://apply.uark.edu).

3. Submit the application fee. This can be paid online after submitting your application or by check, money order, or cash.

4. Have all official college transcripts sent to the Office of the Registrar.

5. Have your official high school transcript or GED sent to the Office of Admissions.

6. Have your ACT/SAT scores sent to the Office of Admissions by the testing agency or your high school. If your scores are older than five years, you will need to take the COMPASS test offered by the university’s Office of Testing Services. For more information call 479-575-3948 or visit [test.uark.edu](http://test.uark.edu).

7. After submitting your application, activate your UARK account at [newuser.uark.edu](http://newuser.uark.edu). You will need your university ID number and birthday. The username and password you create will be used for your UAConnect account, student email account, Blackboard account, and housing contract.

8. Track your application status using your UAConnect account. We encourage you to check both your personal and student email regularly. You will receive important admission information as you go through the enrollment process.

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**Important Contacts**

| ADMISSIONS | 1-800-377-8632 | uofa@uark.edu | admissions.uark.edu |
| CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL ACCESS | (Voice) 479-575-3104 | (TDD) 479-575-3046 | ada@uark.edu • cee.uark.edu |
| FINANCIAL AID | 479-575-3806 | finaid@uark.edu | finaid.uark.edu |
| HONORS COLLEGE | 479-575-7678 | honors@uark.edu | honorscollege.uark.edu |
| HOUSING | 479-575-3951 | housing@uark.edu | housing.uark.edu |
| IMMUNIZATION RECORDS | 479-575-7723 | immu@uark.edu | health.uark.edu |
| NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION | 479-575-4200 | nso@uark.edu | orientation.uark.edu |
| REGISTRAR | 479-575-5451 | registra@uark.edu | registrar.uark.edu |
| SCHOLARSHIP OFFICE | 479-575-4464 | scholars@uark.edu | scholarships.uark.edu |
| TREASURER’S OFFICE | 479-575-5651 | treasurer.uark.edu |

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER FRESHMEN**

- 2.0 cumulative GPA on all college coursework
- 3.0 high school GPA; 20 on ACT or 930 on SAT (CR+M)

Students who do not meet admission requirements may apply and be reviewed by the Admissions and Appellate Board.
Applying for admission **NEW TRANSFER**

**New Transfer: Any student who has continued their education beyond high school and earned at least 24 transferable college hours prior to enrollment at the University of Arkansas**

1. Review the University of Arkansas' Transfer Course Equivalency Guide at [courseequivalency.uark.edu](http://courseequivalency.uark.edu) to determine how many hours taken at other regionally accredited institutions will be transferable to the University of Arkansas. If you have questions about course equivalency, please contact the Registrar at 479-575-5451 or visit registrar.uark.edu.

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3. Submit the application fee. This can be paid online after submitting your application or by check, money order, or cash.

4. Have all official college transcripts sent to the Office of the Registrar.

5. After submitting your application, activate your UARK account at [newuser.uark.edu](http://newuser.uark.edu). You will need your university ID number and birthday. The username and password you create will be used for your UAConnect account, student email account, Blackboard account, and housing contract.

6. Track your application status using your UAConnect account.

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Living on Campus

Living on campus helps you step into your new role as a student at the University of Arkansas. The residence halls provide convenience and security, as well as a strong sense of community. The university requires that all freshmen and transfer freshmen under the age of 21 live on campus or with guardians during their first year.

Transfer students who have completed at least 24 transferable credit hours are not required to live on campus, but are welcome to do so. Should you choose to live on campus, we offer a variety of residential living units, including apartments, to help extend your learning experiences beyond the classroom, library, and laboratory.

Transfer students can find more information about off-campus living by visiting offcampushousing.uark.edu.

Dining on campus

Whether you live on or off campus, you can choose between a variety of meal plans for campus dining. University of Arkansas meal plans provide you with the option to eat at “all-you-care-to-eat” dining halls or at the food court in the Arkansas Union. You can also grab a quick snack at one of several campus convenience stores or coffee shops.

The university also has many popular restaurants on campus including Subway, Papa John’s, Einstein Bros Bagels, Au Bon Pain, and Starbucks.

See page 9 for meal plan options.

dineoncampus.com/razorbacks

For more info about housing:

housing.uark.edu
Student Life

The University of Arkansas offers many exciting opportunities to connect outside the classroom. The Division of Student Affairs ensures that students enjoy abundant entertainment with headliner concerts, lectures from prominent speakers, art galleries, free films, and more! Recent headliner concerts include performances from John Mayer, Foo Fighters, Kid Cudi, T.I., and Snoop Dogg. Distinguished Lecture Series speakers have included President George H.W. Bush, CNN anchor Anderson Cooper, basketball icon Magic Johnson, Jane Goodall, Steve Wozniak, John Legend, and His Holiness the Dalai Lama.

With over 380 registered student organizations, you will be sure to find one that interests you. The 30 active sports clubs on campus will help you stay fit while having fun with activities as diverse as ballroom & Latin dance, fencing, paintball, and water skiing. Students even run their own radio station (KXUA), television station (UATV), and student newspaper (The Arkansas Traveler).

Get Involved!

Registered student organizations (RSOs) provide students the opportunity to form and develop organizations based on a common interest. Get involved with an RSO and meet new people, develop your interests, and have fun.

RSOs range from special interests to professional groups, as well as 34 Greek organizations. Be sure to get involved:

- Greek
- Governing
- International/Cultural
- Professional/Academic
- Religious
- Service/Honorary
- Special Interests

For more info about housing:

[osaru.edu](http://osaru.edu)
See & Do

With top concerts, art shows, internationally acclaimed speakers, Razorback sporting events, and many other non-stop activities, the University of Arkansas campus is alive with things to see and do. Explore the natural beauty of Northwest Arkansas and experience all it has to offer:

- Walmart Arkansas Music Pavilion
- Walton Arts Center
- Dickson Street for restaurants and entertainment
- Beaver Lake for boating, swimming, and fishing
- Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art
- Northwest Arkansas Mall
- Pinnacle Hills Promenade Mall
- Historic Downtown Fayetteville
- Eureka Springs for art, shopping, and concerts
- 3 multiplex cinemas and a historic drive-in theater
- Devil’s Den State Park and Buffalo National River for canoeing, biking, and hiking in the scenic Ozark Mountains
Tuition & Fees

The following schedule demonstrates typical costs for a full-time undergraduate student taking 30 credit hours per year, based on fees in effect during fall 2015.

Average Tuition 2015-2016 (30 Hours)

<table>
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<tr>
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<th>Arkansas Resident</th>
<th>Non-Resident</th>
<th>Typical University Fees</th>
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<tr>
<td>Arkansas Resident</td>
<td>$7,028</td>
<td>$20,332</td>
<td>$1,494</td>
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Housing Costs

Housing cost estimates for the 2015-2016 academic year not including meal plans.**

Double & Single Occupancy Rooms*

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<tr>
<th>RESIDENCE HALL</th>
<th>DOUBLE</th>
<th>SINGLE</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Buchanan/Droke (Female)</td>
<td>$5,172</td>
<td>$6,797</td>
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<tr>
<td>Founders Hall</td>
<td>$7,340</td>
<td>$9,270</td>
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<td>Futrall Hall</td>
<td>$5,506</td>
<td>$7,356</td>
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<td>Gibson Hall (Female)</td>
<td>$5,566</td>
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<td>Gladson/Ripley</td>
<td>$5,172</td>
<td>$6,797</td>
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<td>Gregson Hall</td>
<td>$5,566</td>
<td>$7,356</td>
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<td>Holcombe Hall</td>
<td>$5,506</td>
<td>$7,356</td>
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<tr>
<td>Hotz Honors Quarters</td>
<td>$5,566</td>
<td>$7,340</td>
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<tr>
<td>Humphreys Hall</td>
<td>$5,356</td>
<td>$6,902</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maple Hill (2-Bedroom Suite)</td>
<td>$7,588</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maple Hill (Premium Suite)</td>
<td>$8,268</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maple Hill (Single Room)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>$8,355</td>
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<tr>
<td>Northwest Quad</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>$7,838</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pomfret Hall</td>
<td>$5,214</td>
<td>$6,892</td>
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<tr>
<td>Reid (Female)</td>
<td>$5,612</td>
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<td>Walton North &amp; South</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>$7,340</td>
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<tr>
<td>Yocum Hall</td>
<td>$5,612</td>
<td>$6,956</td>
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* Single occupancy rooms subject to availability. Proof of necessity required of student making request.

** All expenses listed are estimates and are accurate at the time of printing but may differ from actual contract costs.

Campus Meal Plans†

On-campus options shown. Visit dineoncampus.com/razorbacks for off-campus meal plan pricing.

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<tr>
<th>PLAN NAME</th>
<th>MEAL COUNT</th>
<th>FLEX$ PER SEMESTER</th>
<th>1 SEMESTER</th>
<th>ACADEMIC YEAR</th>
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<tr>
<td>Unlimited Plus</td>
<td>no limit</td>
<td>$150/semester</td>
<td>$1,928</td>
<td>$3,856</td>
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<tr>
<td>Unlimited</td>
<td>no limit</td>
<td>$50/semester</td>
<td>$1,883</td>
<td>$3,766</td>
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<td>15 Plus</td>
<td>15 per week</td>
<td>$175/semester</td>
<td>$1,783</td>
<td>$3,566</td>
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<td>15</td>
<td>15 per week</td>
<td>$75/semester</td>
<td>$1,732</td>
<td>$3,464</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>10 per week</td>
<td>$125/semester</td>
<td>$1,608</td>
<td>$3,216</td>
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Financial Assistance

Five steps to funding your education

1. Apply early for scholarships. Transfer students with more than 24 transferable college credits should submit scholarship applications no later than April 1 for the fall semester and October 15 for the spring semester.

2. Search for private scholarships through local businesses, civic groups, places of worship, and your high school counseling office. Also check internet sites such as fastweb.com for lists of nearly 600,000 scholarships.

3. Complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) as soon as possible. For the fall semester, the priority consideration deadline is March 1. Fill out the FAFSA online at fafsa.gov using the federal code for the University of Arkansas: 001108.

4. Review the Student Aid Report (SAR) that will be sent to you after your FAFSA is processed. It will include your federally calculated Expected Family Contribution (EFC). Correct any mistakes online at fafsa.gov.

5. Receive your award notice from the University of Arkansas, which may consist of grants, loans, and work-study, as well as merit-based awards and scholarships.

For more information visit: finaid.uark.edu

Don’t forget to apply for the FAFSA early.
Transfer Scholarships

The University of Arkansas offers transfer student scholarships each fall and spring to entering transfer students:

**Academic All-Star Transfer Student Scholarship**
- Annual award that pays tuition and tuition-related fees for up to four semesters
- Awarded to students named an “Academic All-Star” by their Arkansas two-year college
- The scholarship application is not required for this award

**Chancellor’s Transfer Scholarship**
- Annual award up to $3,000 per year
- Renewable for one additional year
- Awarded to top applicants from Arkansas two-year colleges

**U of A Transfer Student Scholarship**
- Annual award up to $2,000 per year
- Renewable for one additional year
- Awarded to top candidates from the applicant pool

**Phi Theta Kappa Transfer Scholarship**
- Annual award up to $2,500 per year
- Renewable for one additional year
- Awarded to top applicants from two-year colleges who are members of Phi Theta Kappa

(Provide documentation of membership to the Academic Scholarship Office)

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**Eligibility**
To be considered for University of Arkansas transfer scholarships, entering transfer students must have completed or be in the process of completing at least 24 or more transferable hours of college-level work from a regionally accredited institution of higher education other than the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville. Applicants must have completed a minimum of 12 transferable hours at the time of application. Current University of Arkansas students are not eligible for this award.

For more information visit: scholarships.uark.edu
The following is a reference list of degrees and courses offered at the University of Arkansas. For the complete catalog of studies, please visit the online course catalog at catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog.
• Indigenous Studies
• Japanese
• Jewish Studies
• Legal Studies
• Medieval and Renaissance Studies
• Religious Studies
• Southern Studies

PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS
• Chiropractic
• Dentistry
• Dental Hygiene
• Law
• Medicine
• Medical Lab Sciences
• Nuclear Medicine Technology
• Occupational Therapy
• Optometry
• Pharmacy
• Physical Therapy
• Physician Assistant
• Podiatry
• Radiography
• Respiratory Care
• Secondary Education
• Sonography

College of Education & Health Professions

MAJORS, CONCENTRATIONS & MINORS
• Career & Technical Education
  - Business Education
  - Family & Consumer Sciences Education
  - Technology Education
• Childhood Education
  - English as a Second Language
  - Gifted & Talented
  - Reading Specialist
  - STEM
• Communication Disorders
• Educational Studies
• Elementary Education
• Human Resource & Workforce Development Education
• Kinesiology
  - K-12 Teaching Physical Education/Wellness & Leisure
  - Exercise Science
• Nursing
  - BSN
  - RN to BSN
• Public Health
• Recreation & Sport Management
• Special Education

MINOR ONLY CONCENTRATIONS
• UATeach

College of Engineering

• Biological & Agricultural Engineering
  - Ecological
  - Food & Bio-product Process
  - Sustainable Resource
• Biomedical Engineering
  - Instrumentation & Diagnostics
  - Physiology & Molecular Genetics
  - Therapeutics & Delivery
• Chemical Engineering
  - Biomolecular Nanophotonics
  - Biotechnology/Biochemical
  - Environmental
  - Chemical Separations
• Civil Engineering
  - Environmental
  - Geotechnical
  - Structural
  - Transportation
• Computer Engineering
  - Embedded Systems
  - Low Power Circuit/System Design
  - Peer-to-Peer Networking
  - Network Security
  - RFID Information Security
  - Reconfigurable Computing
• Computer Science
  - Biomolecular Computing
  - Image & Video Processing
  - Computer Forensics
  - Virtual Worlds
  - High Performance Computing
• Electrical Engineering
  - Communications
  - Control Systems
  - Digital/Analog Electronics
  - Digital/Analog Signal Processing
  - Energy Systems
  - Microelectronics
• Industrial Engineering
  - Eng. Management & Economic Analysis
  - Ergonomics & Work Measurement
  - Manufacturing
  - Operations Research & Simulation
  - Quality Assurance
• Mechanical Engineering
  - Aerospace
  - Energy Systems
  - Mechanical Systems
  - Pre-medical Management

Sam M. Walton College of Business

MAJORS, CONCENTRATIONS & MINORS
• Accounting
• Business, General
• Business, International
  - Accounting
  - Business Economics
  - Finance
  - General Business
  - Information Systems
  - Management
  - Marketing
  - Retail
  - Supply Chain Management
• Economics
  - Business Economics
  - International Economics & Business
• Finance
  - Banking
  - Financial Management/Investment
  - Insurance
  - Real Estate
  - Personal Financial Management
• Information Systems
  - Business Analytics
  - Enterprise Resource Planning
  - Enterprise Systems
• Management
  - Human Resource Management
  - Organizational Leadership
  - Small Business & Entrepreneurship
• Marketing
• Retail
  - Accounting
  - General Retail
  - Economics
  - Finance
  - Information Systems
  - Management
  - Marketing
  - Supply Chain Management
• Supply Chain Management
  - Retail Supply Chain Management
  - Transportation & Logistics

MINOR ONLY CONCENTRATIONS
• Behavioral Economics
• Financial Economics
• Nonprofit Studies
• Business for non-business students

Interdisciplinary Minors
• Microelectronics-Photonics
• Nanotechnology
• Sustainability
• Urban Planning

You may earn a minor in this field.
You may earn either a second/dependent major or minor in this field.
Available as an online program.
Honors College

The Honors College provides the tools you need to make an impact in a learning environment that fosters discovery, creativity, and service. Being part of the Honors College will allow you to:

- Attend cross-disciplinary courses with faculty from different departments
- Conduct sophisticated research with a faculty mentor
- Make lifelong friends in the honors community
- Utilize cutting-edge technology in honors computer labs
- Serve local and global communities by volunteering
- Apply for competitive grants to support research and study abroad

To request more information, write the Honors College at 244 Gearhart Hall, Fayetteville, AR 72701, call 479-575-7678, or visit honorscollege.uark.edu.

Honors College Requirements

Transfer students and transfer freshmen should contact the Honors College at 479-575-7678 to determine eligibility.
Visit Campus

There’s no better way to learn about the University of Arkansas and the richness of Razorback traditions than to visit our campus. You’ll experience first-hand the personalized attention and professional commitment we give to each University of Arkansas student.

It’s easy to schedule your personalized visit online, and you can select the visit that interests you. Tailor your visit and learn about campus life from a student guide, have lunch, meet with an admissions counselor, tour student housing, explore the university’s Health, Physical Education and Recreation building (HPER), and learn about scholarships and financial aid opportunities.

Schedule your personalized campus tour or take a virtual tour online to learn more about our campus.

Typical Campus Visit Itinerary

• Meet with an admissions counselor
• Enjoy a walking tour of campus
• Take a residence hall tour
• Make other selected appointments (academics & extracurricular)

Schedule your visit online at visit.arkansas.edu.

Take a virtual tour

We know that you will want to schedule a visit to our campus as soon as you can. Until then, take the Virtual Campus Tour. Student guides will share the storied history and many traditions of the U of A campus.

Take a virtual tour of campus: virtualtour.uark.edu
I’ve been admitted... What’s next?

After you’ve received your notice of admittance, there are a few steps to finish. Use this checklist to help finalize your enrollment.

TRANSFER FRESHMAN once admitted

☑ IMMUNIZATION RECORDS (required)
Be sure to submit your immunization records. Students are required to comply with state immunization requirements, and enrollment cannot be completed without proof of immunization. Be sure to include your student ID number with submission.
health.uark.edu/immunizations.php.

☑ APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID (recommended)
Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). If you have already filled out FAFSA for another school, please log in and change the federal school code to the University of Arkansas code: 001108. finaid.uark.edu.

☑ NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION (required)
Register for required New Student Orientation to learn more about student life and resources available to help you succeed, and to meet with your advisor to register for classes.
orientation.uark.edu.

☑ HOUSING (required)
Complete the online housing contract or read about the residency requirement to determine if it applies.
housing.uark.edu.

☑ FINAL TRANSCRIPT (required)
If you are admitted while enrolled in courses at another institution, please submit your final transcript to ensure all courses are evaluated for transfer credit.

NEW TRANSFER once admitted

☑ IMMUNIZATION RECORDS (required)
Be sure to submit your immunization records. Students are required to comply with state immunization requirements, and enrollment cannot be completed without proof of immunization. Be sure to include your student ID number with submission.
health.uark.edu/immunizations.php.

☑ APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID (recommended)
Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). If you have already filled out FAFSA for another school, please log in and change the federal school code to the University of Arkansas code: 001108. finaid.uark.edu.

☑ HOUSING (optional)
If you plan to live on campus, complete your housing contract at housing.uark.edu. If not, you can visit offcampushousing.uark.edu for more information about living off campus. housing.uark.edu.

☑ NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION (recommended)
Consider registering for online or on-campus orientation to learn more about the resources available on campus. New transfer students do not register for classes at orientation. Find your advisor at advising.uark.edu. Contact New Student Orientation with questions at 479-575-4200. orientation.uark.edu.

COMPLETING YOUR ENROLLMENT

ADVISING
Once your transfer credit report has posted to your UAConnect account, schedule an advising appointment with the college where your major is located. You will not be able to enroll in classes until you have met with an advisor. Find your advisor at advising.uark.edu.

FINAL TRANSCRIPT
If you are admitted while enrolled in courses at another institution, please submit your final transcript to ensure all courses are evaluated for transfer credit.

STUDENT ID CARD
Please visit the Campus Card Office, located in room 427 of the Union, to obtain your university Student ID card. The fee for your card is included in your tuition and fee bill.